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Sir:

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- 2. Certificate of Correction

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.322, the patentee for the above-identified patent hereby requests the issuance of a Certificate of Correction with respect to errors in the above-identified patent.

The errors are set forth on the proposed Certificate of Correction (PTO-1050) submitted herewith, in duplicate.

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In the Abstract, line 2, before "format" and after "an" replace "eight-hit" with - eight-bit -.

In the Specification, column 7, lines 11-12, replace

$$a = A \bullet (\overline{A}B \bullet E \bullet F \bullet C \oplus D + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \oplus F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F)' + ,$$

$$\overline{A} \bullet B' \bullet E' \bullet F' \bullet C \oplus D + \overline{A}' \bullet B' \bullet C' \bullet D' \bullet E \oplus F + \overline{A}' \bullet B' \bullet C' \bullet D' \bullet E' \bullet F'$$
with:

$$a = A \bullet (\overline{A} \bullet B \bullet E \bullet F \bullet C \oplus D + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \oplus F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F)' + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet F + \overline{A} \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet E \bullet C \bullet D \bullet C \bullet D$$

In the Specification, column 8, line 1, replace

" 
$$e = E \bullet (C \bullet D \bullet \overline{E} \bullet F \bullet A \oplus B + A \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet \overline{E} \bullet F)' + C' \bullet D' \bullet F' \bullet A \oplus B + A' \bullet B' \bullet C' \bullet D' \bullet F'$$
"

$$e = E \bullet (C \bullet D \bullet \overline{E} \bullet F \bullet A \oplus B + A \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet \overline{E} \bullet F)' + C \bullet D \bullet \overline{E} \bullet F \bullet A \oplus B + A \bullet B \bullet C \bullet D \bullet \overline{E} \bullet F$$

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In the Specification, column 10, line 26, replace

"
$$e = E \oplus \{(E \oplus \overline{F}') \bullet (C \oplus D' \bullet D \oplus E' \bullet A \oplus B' \bullet B \oplus C')\}$$
"
with:
$$e = E \oplus \{(C \oplus D' \bullet D \oplus \overline{E}' \bullet \overline{E} \oplus F') \bullet (A \oplus B + A \oplus B' \bullet B \oplus C')\}$$

In the Specification, column 10, line 61, replace

"
$$\overline{a} \bullet b' \bullet e \bullet f \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet c \oplus d + \overline{a}$$
" with --  $\overline{a} \bullet b' \bullet e' \bullet f \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet c \oplus d + \overline{a}$  --.

In the Specification, column 11, line 8, replace

"
$$n3 = \overline{a} \bullet b' \bullet c' \bullet d \bullet e \bullet f' \bullet g \bullet h' + \overline{a} \bullet b' \bullet e' \bullet f \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet c \oplus d + \overline{a} \bullet b \bullet c' \bullet d' \bullet d' \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet e \oplus f$$
"
with:

-- 
$$n3 = \overline{a} \bullet b' \bullet c' \bullet d \bullet e \bullet f' \bullet g \bullet h' + \overline{a} \bullet b' \bullet e' \bullet f \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet c \oplus d + \overline{a} \bullet b \bullet c' \bullet d' \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet e \oplus f$$
 --

In the Specification, column 11, line 20, replace

$$"B - b \bullet (a \bullet \overline{b} \bullet c' \bullet d' \bullet h' \bullet e \oplus f)' + a' \bullet \overline{b}' \bullet c \bullet d \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet e \oplus f"$$

$$--B = b \bullet (a \bullet \overline{b} \bullet c' \bullet d' \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet e \oplus f)' + a' \bullet \overline{b}' \bullet c \bullet d \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet e \oplus f --.$$

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In the Specification, column 11, line 33, replace

$$"C = c \bullet (a' \bullet b' \bullet d' \bullet e \bullet f \bullet g \bullet h)' + a \bullet b \bullet d \bullet e' \bullet f' \bullet g \bullet h' "$$

$$--C = c \bullet (a' \bullet b' \bullet d' \bullet e \bullet f \bullet g \bullet h')' + a \bullet b \bullet d \bullet e' \bullet f' \bullet g \bullet h' --.$$

In the Specification, column 12, line 14, before "D132" and after "D116," replace "D1 15," with – D115, --.

In the Specification, column 12, lines 26-27, replace

$$"F = f \bullet (c' \bullet d' \bullet \bar{f} \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet a \oplus b + a \bullet b' \bullet e' \bullet \bar{f} \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet c \oplus d)' + + "$$

$$c \bullet d \bullet e' \bullet \bar{f}' \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet a \oplus b + a' \bullet b \bullet e \bullet \bar{f}' \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet c \oplus d$$

$$F = f \bullet (c' \bullet d' \bullet e \bullet \bar{f} \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet a \oplus b + a \bullet b' \bullet e' \bullet \bar{f} \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet c \oplus d)' + c \bullet d \bullet e' \bullet \bar{f}' \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet a \oplus b + a' \bullet b \bullet e \bullet \bar{f}' \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet c \oplus d$$

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" 
$$n52 = c' \bullet d' \bullet e \bullet \bar{f} \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet a \oplus b + a \bullet b' \bullet e' \bullet f \bullet gh' \bullet c \oplus d$$
"

$$--n52 = c' \bullet d' \bullet e \bullet \bar{f} \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet a \oplus b + a \bullet b' \bullet e' \bullet \bar{f} \bullet g \bullet h' \bullet c \oplus d ---.$$

In the Specification, column 12, line 68, replace

" 
$$n64 = g \bullet h \bullet e \oplus f + e' \bullet f' \bullet g \oplus h$$
"

with:

$$-- n 64 = g' \bullet h' \bullet e \oplus f + e' \bullet f' \bullet g \oplus h ---$$

In the Specification, column 13, lines 28-29, replace

"
$$A = a \oplus \{(e \oplus f \bullet g \bullet h) \bullet (\overline{a} \oplus b \bullet b \oplus c' \bullet c \oplus d \bullet d \oplus e' + \overline{a} \oplus b \bullet b \oplus e' \bullet c \oplus d + , \overline{a} \oplus b' \bullet b \oplus c \bullet c \oplus d')\}$$

$$A = a \oplus \{(e \oplus f \bullet g \bullet h') \bullet (\overline{a} \oplus b \bullet b \oplus c' \bullet c \oplus d \bullet d \oplus e' + \overline{a} \oplus b \bullet b \oplus e' \bullet c \oplus d + \overline{a} \oplus b' \bullet b \oplus c \bullet c \oplus d')\}$$

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" 
$$D = \overline{d} \oplus (a \oplus b \bullet b \oplus c'c \oplus \overline{d} \bullet \overline{d} \oplus e' \bullet e \oplus f \bullet g \bullet h')$$
"

$$-- D = d \oplus (a \oplus b \bullet b \oplus c' \bullet c \oplus \overline{d} \bullet \overline{d} \oplus e' \bullet e \oplus f \bullet g \bullet h') ---$$

In the Specification, column 13, line 42, replace

"
$$(a \oplus b \bullet c \oplus d' + a \oplus b' \bullet c \oplus d) \bullet (e \oplus f \bullet g \bullet h' + e \oplus f'$$
"

-- 
$$(a \oplus b \bullet c \oplus d' + a \oplus b' \bullet c \oplus d) \bullet (e \oplus f \bullet g \oplus h' + e \oplus f' --$$

In the Specification, column 13, line 51, after "e.g.," replace "2xfNV" with -2xINV --.

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